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Serial No. 09/936,188

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TITLE: CLEAR, COSMETIC PREPARATIONS CONTAINING FATTY ACID (POLYGLYCOL) ESTERS, FATTY ALCOHOL (POLYGLYCOL) ETHERS, POLYOLS AND/OR ALK(EN)YL OLIGOGLYCOSIDES, AND

METHODS OF PREPARING THE SAME

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It is hereby requested that the shortened statutory period for responding to the Examiner's Action dated November 24, 2004 be extended two months from December 24, 2004 to February 24, 2005.

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Responsive Action has been taken by filing a <u>RESPONSE TO THIRD ELECTION</u>

REQUIREMENT simultaneously herewith.

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